

human-machine interactions, rules interpretations, and activation of highway-rail intersection (grade crossing) protection devices.

A key example of the type of physical/communications infrastructure development implied by high speed passenger service using freight rail lines is advance activation of grade crossing devices in high speed territory. When a train is operating at high speed (80 mph or greater), use of conventional track circuits to activate crossing devices becomes problematic. This is due to the long distance between the crossing and the train at the time the crossing device must activate – assuming the normal 20 to 30 second warning/gate-closing time provided for motor vehicle traffic. Using conventional technology, at least one, and perhaps two, additional track circuit pairs must be added for each highway/rail intersection to be encountered at high speed. A PTC development program on Amtrak-owned trackage in Michigan is testing the use of RF messages in lieu of conventional track circuits for advance activation. A similar strategy is proposed for development and testing in the NAJPTC Program in Illinois. It is expected that the RF approach will prove acceptable from safety and cost perspectives, provided secure, exclusive-use data communications channels are available. There appears to be little question that the crossing arming/activation function will place major demands on RF communications capacity in high speed passenger rail deployments of this kind.

F. Location determination is a nearly universal feature of PTC systems, and one that has been subject to substantial technology change in the last decade.

All current PTC development projects outside the Northeast Corridor are investigating use of the Global Positioning System (GPS) with Differential Corrections delivered over RF links. Most, if not all, of these systems also use some type of map-matching between mobile GPS readings and geographic data elements transferred from an off-board database to the locomotive or other mobile vehicle.

The new hybrid positioning systems are probably more cost-effective in wide-scale deployments than the transponder-based location determination systems contemplated prior to availability of the GPS/DGPS option in the last decade, and will have major implications for data communications reliability, coverage, and throughput capacity.

G. Future Direction of PTC Will Continue to be Evolutionary

From the perspective of utilizing the six channel pairs at 900 MHz to help realize public benefits of train control, it is clear that the evolution from ATCS in the late 1980s to PTC today has been, and will continue to be, a success story. Today's technological, institutional, and regulatory environment is much more conducive to successful PTC design and deployment. AAR respectfully submits that approval by the Commission of the proposal in this petition for the licensing and management of the "ATCS/PTC" channels is a necessary and useful step toward the goal of widespread PTC implementation.

III. DESCRIPTION OF PAST AND PRESENT EXPERIMENTS, TRIALS AND PILOT PROGRAMS

A. Summary of Past Programs.

At least 12 projects have been undertaken over the past 15 years to develop communications-based train control systems, now called Positive Train Control (PTC) systems.

The most comprehensive PTC project was a joint program sponsored by the Union Pacific ("UP") and Burlington Northern Santa Fe ("BNSF") railroads. This pilot project covered territory in the states of Washington and Oregon, representing all of the current types of train movement control from CTC to track warrants. The UP/BNSF system was designed as an overlay on the existing movement control systems, and was designed to be "interoperable" between UP and BNSF. Interoperability is an important feature for PTC and is defined as the ability of a "foreign" locomotive to operate on another railroad's system seamlessly. In other words, BNSF locomotives can communicate with the Union Pacific dispatch office when operating on UP track, and UP locomotives can communicate with the BNSF dispatch office when operating on BNSF track.

The concept of interoperability is very important to the railroads, particularly as a result of recent mergers which expanded the use of "trackage rights" arrangements permitting the operation of trains from a connecting railroad as "tenants" on the owning railroad, together with the host railroad's own trains. Perhaps the most recognizable example of "trackage rights" is Amtrak's operation of passenger trains over thousands of miles of track owned by freight

railroads. PTC must be designed to meet these interoperability requirements, which will provide for "tenant" locomotives to come on line at track speed (i.e., without a severe operating or scheduling penalty).

The UP/BNSF pilot used the Global Positioning System (GPS) as the primary positioning system, augmented with inertial guidance and odometers. This positioning system was able to determine the track on which the train is located and direction taken by the train at each switch. The digital data link was a 900 MHz data link for the UP and a 160 MHz link for BNSF. Utilizing both the 160 and 900 MHz networks to cover joint UB/BNSF territories provided interoperability. All movement authorities were generated at central dispatch and transmitted to the train via the digital data links, the trains reported their location and speed, in return, to dispatch. Enforcement of movement authority and speed limits occurred on board the locomotive.

B. The Alaska Railroad Corporation Project

Early in 1998, the Alaska Railroad Corporation (ARRC) launched a program to install a precision train control system throughout its rail network using equipment operating on the 900 MHz ATCS channel pairs. This FRA-sponsored project is a derivative of the UP/BNSF project described above. The ARRC project includes the deployment of a Track Forces Terminal (TFT) for roadway employees, which will provide location tracking of roadway workers on track vehicles and digital communications for obtaining and releasing work zones for the protection of roadway employees.

This centrally controlled system will provide for safe and efficient train

operations through increased track capacity, protection of roadway workers, speed enforcement and stop enforcement where stop is required. The AARC system is being installed in rugged Alaskan terrain and will enhance the safety of passenger and freight train operations across the railroad.

C. Illinois Department of Transportation Pilot Program

The early systems like the ARES (Advanced Railroad Electronics System) and ATCS (Advanced Train Control Systems), although never implemented for revenue service, set the stage for the other efforts such as UP/BNSF joint project in the Pacific Northwest and the North American Positive Train Control Joint Program. The Federal Railroad Administration, the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and the Association of American Railroads fund the Joint Program, which is estimated to cost approximately \$60 million. The program's principal objective is to design, build, test, and install a PTC system on a 120-mile section of the Union Pacific Railroad from Springfield to Mazonia, Illinois. The program will also develop and recommend a set of PTC interoperability standards for industry adoption and long term maintenance, and will demonstrate application of these standards in the IDOT installation. A map of the IDOT installation is included with this petition at Appendix D.

IV. REPORT ON CURRENT DEPLOYMENT OF ATCS FREQUENCIES

The FCC's 1988 waiver concerning the ATCS channel pairs was in the context of rules governing Private Land Mobile Radio Service (PLMRS). Certain conditions were applied that are generic PLMRS requirements, including exclusivity and loading, which are related. Sufficient loading of a channel pair

will typically lead to de facto exclusive use of that pair within a geographic area. A typical PLMRs base station loading requirement, justifying or securing the de facto exclusivity of the channels assigned to that station, would be a minimum of 70 mobile users utilizing that base station on a regular basis. Although such a requirement may be appropriate for a local dispatch application – taxi, courier service, etc. -- it is not an appropriate utilization measure in a railroad environment. Taking into account the dynamic nature of rail operations and varying traffic density in any given geographic region, the need for channel availability and the high degree of reliance on the RF link for the underlying safety of the system is constant and independent of the number of users.⁹

The 1988 waiver request identified several user entities and applications of the ATCS channels, and contemplated using the channels to "transfer large volumes of data between locomotives, work crews, and computerized control

⁹ As used herein, the following definitions apply to rail operations, traffic density and the system. Rail operations means traffic flow and pattern, and traffic density (intensity of operations at a particular location or track segment) is analogous to number of users. "Through-train" operations exhibit linear flow as a train moves through the coverage of adjacent base stations and requires regular use of the RF channels. "Local train" operations would typically require RF channel access on a less frequent basis, using a single base station for most if not all of that train crew's tour of duty. A given base station, particularly in multiple-track territory, can be subjected to a mix of these traffic types. Traffic density fluctuates for any given base station during any particular period of time or season, and usage of the RF link can be subjected to sharp peaking in "rush hour" situations, or extreme peaking in response to anomalies and emergency situations. The system refers to the train control and management system that is dependent upon the RF channels for communication inclusive of these channels. The RF segment of the system consists of the base stations as well as the fixed and mobile users accessing the system via the base station.

center.¹⁰ Proposed applications at that time included train routing, train position and locomotive "health" reporting, route integrity, overspeed enforcement, and pacing. All of this functionality has been deployed utilizing the six channel pairs to validate their suitability (successfully) over the course of ATCS testing as described above. Additionally, other applications have been and are being run over these channels: i.e., work order reporting and signal code control. Of the 1,069 constructed base stations and 1,551 mobile units, many are used for direct train control as originally foreseen, and others are used for signal code control, (i.e., the remote control of signal devices such as power switches and signals, which is distinctly a safety-related train movement control function).

Recent initiatives, as outlined in the previous section, have focused upon the increased utilization of the six channel pairs at 900 MHz under the specifications developed by the industry. System design requirements and performance evaluations associated with these initiatives have been predicated on the premise that these channels will not be subject to interference from other users. The current focus is to enhance spectral efficiency to accommodate both train control and business applications of these channels. Feasibility testing of other techniques to improve spectral efficiency (trunking and channel aggregation) would also presume a non-interference environment.

¹⁰ Order, supra, 3 FCC Rcd 427 (1988), at paragraph 4.

V. THERE ARE NUMEROUS ADVANTAGES OF A SINGLE GEOGRAPHIC LICENSE

A. Streamlined Licensing is Linked to Improved Rail Safety, as Promoted by the FRA and NTSB.

The National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) has recommended the installation of positive train separation systems on the nations' railroads in the belief that such systems would significantly reduce the number of train collisions due to human error. The idea is not a new one. For over 70 years, there have been systems that can provide for automatic train control and train stopping, which are two of the principal features of PTC. The Interstate Commerce Commission ("ICC") required these systems to be installed on a portion of national rail network, largely where passenger trains were operated. But with the decline of intercity passenger traffic and the high cost to install and maintain such systems, the ICC allowed most of them to be removed. Coincident with these developments, the over-regulated railroads experienced financial difficulties, including major bankruptcies in the Northeast and Midwest. These conditions did not abate until after enactment of the Staggers Act in 1980, which began the economic renaissance the railroads have experienced over the last dozen years.

In the 1980s, the railroad industry in the U.S. and Canada sponsored the ATCS program, which had, as one of its objectives, a reduction in the occurrence of train control-related accidents. The FRA supported this effort, declining to mandate any particular technologies with the hope that evolution of the ATCS program would result in the implementation of a cost-effective PTC.

For the past several years, FRA has sponsored research and test programs to further the potential for the implementation of PTC. The FRA/IDOT/AAR joint program is one such effort. That program has specified the use of the 900 MHz frequencies for the communications links, based on the conviction that those frequencies will provide the most cost-effective and schedule-effective solution.

B. A Single Geographic License Enables More Efficient Administration

The single license approach will streamline the Commission's licensing process and will eliminate a large amount of application handling and processing by the Commission's staff. It will shift from the Commission to AAR the burden of maintaining a site-specific database of tower locations, a burden which AAR is willing and prepared to accept. In essence, the Commission will look to AAR as the holder of a single license for the railroad industry for these six channel pairs, for the geographic area specified in the license. This approach is entirely consistent with one of the key principles adopted on November 18, 1999, when the Commission issued its "Policy Statement for Spectrum Management", stating that it was seeking to "improve the efficiency of our assignment processes through streamlining and innovative techniques."

C. It Will Advance the FCC's Public Safety Goals.

Modification of hundreds of site-specific licenses into a single geographic-area license will promote another key principle articulated by the Commission in its Spectrum Policy Statement, namely, to "ensure that important communications needs, such as public safety, are met." As described above in

this petition, a primary objective of ATCS/PTC systems is to improve the safety of train operations. That goal will be enhanced by this licensing approach, which will give increased flexibility to AAR and the railroad industry for purposes of deploying future PTC facilities to meet important safety needs.

D. It Will Promote Full Spectrum Utilization.

Another key principle of the Commission's Policy Statement on Spectrum Management was to "ensure full utilization" of the spectrum resource. The single-license approach requested by AAR in this petition will accomplish that objective by allowing non-railroad users full access to these six channel pairs outside of the geographic boundary of the AAR license, *i.e.*, anywhere in the United States beyond 70 miles from a railroad right-of-way.

E. It Will Achieve International Harmonization Between the U.S. and Canada Regarding Treatment of These Channels.

This approach will promote international harmonization by conforming the U.S. approach to licensing on these channels to the same licensing approach adopted by the Canadian government for the same channels used by the Canadian railroad industry. As described elsewhere in this petition, the transborder operation of railroads between the United States and Canada is, for many purposes, seamless and transparent. Insofar as the railroads in the United States and Canada share the same frequencies and a common technological platform for ATCS/PTC, it makes good sense for the spectrum licensing mechanisms used by each government to be harmonized, as well.

F. The Geographic Boundaries of the License Will Be Easily Identified.

The geographic boundaries of the proposed single license for ATCS/PTC licenses, as proposed herein by AAR, are based on the same approach used by Industry Canada for use of the same channels by the Canadian railroads, through RAC. The geographic area covered by the license, if portrayed on a map, would appear as a "ribbon" or a "swath" consisting of the length of all railroad rights-of-way in the United States, the width of which would be 140 miles (70 miles on each side of the right-of-way). This 70 mile "exclusion zone" is consistent with the technical specifications for use of frequencies in this band as set forth in Section 90.621 of the Commission's rules. AAR will provide the Commission with full access to a software program and related database (maintained by AAR through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Transportation Technology Center, Inc. ("TTCI")) that will identify, by latitude and longitude, all points in the United States that are inside and outside of the area of the geographic license requested herein, and will make access to the same computer database available to other frequency coordinators so that all non-railroad entities that are eligible for use of these channels may have access to them, through certified frequency coordinators, in areas beyond the boundaries of AAR's geographic license.

G. Spectrum Management and Frequency Coordination Will Be Enhanced

AAR's sublicensing of these channels to individual railroads will be accomplished effectively and efficiently by means of AAR's new "Spectrum

Management Tool Set," which is a set of processes, computerized RF propagation models, and databases used to determine which RF frequencies are used for various railroad functions, and how those frequencies are assigned to specific base stations along the railroad right-of-way, estimating communications demand, predicting RF coverage, and analyzing actual or anticipated interference levels.

The direct users of this system will be TTCI and each of AAR's member railroads. Indirect users of this system include other entities that coordinate with TTCI in its role as the frequency coordinator of the 160 MHz and 900 MHz channels that are subject to AAR's concurrence. The planned operating site for the "toolset" is Pueblo, Colorado, but users will have remote access via the Internet or private communications networks.

VI. CONCLUSION

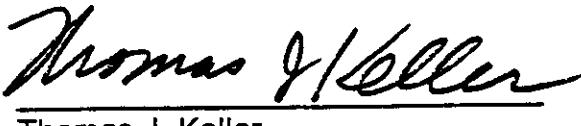
Granting this petition will advance the public interest by streamlining the Commission's licensing process for the six PTC channel pairs, thereby eliminating a significant amount processing burden on the Commission's staff. It will also ensure that important public safety communications needs will continue to be met; enable full utilization of the spectrum resource by allowing non-railroad users full access to the six channel pairs outside the geographical boundary of the geographic license; and promote international harmonization by conforming the U.S. regulatory approach to licensing these channels to the same procedure adopted by the Canadian government for the same channels used by the Canadian railroads. At the same time, the processes proposed

herein for the administration of the single geographic license will allow railroads to locate new PTC facilities more efficiently and with greater flexibility, and will help ensure non-interference with the railroads' safety-critical communications datalinks. In light of these significant public interests benefits, AAR hereby respectfully requests that the Commission grant this petition.

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Appendix A: List of ATCS/PTC Base Station Locations and Call Signs

Appendix B: Map of 900 MHz ATCS/PTC

Appendix C: Excerpts from RSAC Report

Appendix D: Map of IDOT Demonstration Corridor

APPENDIX A

	Call Sign	St	Lat A	Lon A	Lat B	Lon B	Lat C	Lon C	Lat D	Lon D	Lat E	Lon E	Lat F	Lon F
1	WNKY530	AL	304135	880230	305514	880846	310557	881351	394754	1200538	374841	1214809	375608	1211615
2	WNKY531	AL	330329	873333	325240	874440	323857	881009	340539	1172749	340544	1172431	340616	1171948
3	WNKY553	AL	315446	874403	313645	874110	313245	875220	373712	1215517	391217	1214858		
4	WNKZ809	AL	324523	880146	304238	880233	333230	865030	404635	994433	404638	1001001	402757	964702
5	WPEF969	AL	330438	851509	330503	851604	330827	852149						
6	WPEF970	AL	330608	853111	330534	853258	330657	853354						
7	WPEF971	AL	331846	854458	331906	854523	331933	854612						
8	WPEF972	AL	332332	860207	332426	860217	332626	860444						
9	WPEF973	AL	331958	864158	331622	864803	331738	864906						
10	WPEF974	AL	331940	863003	332039	863158	332313	862026						
11	WPOY668	AL	343650	865918										
12	Van Buren	AR	322550	942038	352946	934852	352531	932948						
13	WNKY542	AR	362338	901416	342755	903331	344740	901429	341227	1182542	341306	1182857	341559	1183847
14	WNLA282	AR	333749	912342	3511817	913423	331215	923945						
15	WNUT725	AR	335508	930914	344054	923738	341332	915732						
16	WPPB616	AR	353625	911657	344634	921310	344305	921552						
17	WNKY612	AZ	351756	1130144									471955	1165318
18	WNKY613	AZ	415524	735707	414010	861545	410600	881800	473422	1165914				
19	WNKY889	AZ	353316	1132340	350544	1135423	350203	1142203						
20	WNKY915	AZ	351426	1113548	351200	1121213								
21	WNKY932	AZ	350727	1091142	345345	1095150								
22	WNKY933	AZ	351148	1113849			350117	1104137						
23	Gr Terrace	CA	340120	1171746	340517	1171916	342058	1172627	330843	852236	330916	852311	330643	853004
24	Hanford	CA	361610	1193841					332005	855736	331945	855804	331940	855828
25	WNKY742	CA	391821	1203342										
26	WNKY771	CA					335812	1170219						
27	WNKY925	CA	353720	1204112	351635	1203913	413824	1223111						
28	WNKY936	CA	395200	1051558	405712	1020853	403701	1051937						
29	WNKZ893	CA	340034	1180913	340114	1175832	335101	1173912						
30	WPGP240	CA	383504	1212834	394823	1202812	395300	1205640						
31	WPKW680	CA	341117	1174215	340538	1174120	340530	1173531						
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33	WPKW694	CA	331332	1172154	332242	1173405	332214	1173312						
34	WPLG228	CA	325017	1171456	325331	1171250	325233	1171025						
35	WPLG230	CA	341944	1183602	341541	1183929	341639	1184655						
36	WPLG231	CA	342100	1182425	341010	1181744	341040	1181839						
37	WPLG233	CA	333009	1173949	340353	1181326	340603	1181418	371136	763422	371131	763419	370743	763119
38	WPNW544	CA	335100	1173912	333249	1174028	333003	1173950	365114	812309				

39	WPOZ807	CA	340337	1174010	335752	1172242	382922	1212645
40	WPPB617	CA	374410	1212454	384417	1211808	391821	1203342
41	WNKY662	CO					394606	1045910
42	WNKY769	CO	394726	1050001	395448	1051732	394348	1051403
43	WNKY842	CO	384447	1045140			371338	1042511
44	WNLA277	CO	384445	1045139	391635	1043835	381619	1043729
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46	WNKY563	DE	394653	753019	382438	822806	385732	842734
47	WNLA200	DE	391728	753810	385525	753440	382722	753440
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49	WNUT727	FL	274738	815839	280057	820710	275717	822326
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53	WPEF982	FL	300654	820247	301800	815832	301550	815921
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55	WNKY789	GA	334507	842346				
56	WNKY790	GA	334752	842643				
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APPENDIX B



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